

# Calendar No. 668

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OLLIE O. EVANS, JR.

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Mr. McCARRAN, from the Committee on the Judiciary, submitted the following

## REPORT

[To accompany H. R. 2459]

The Committee on the Judiciary, to which was referred the bill (H. R. 2459) for the relief of Ollie O. Evans, Jr., having considered the same, reports favorably thereon, without amendment, and recommends that the bill do pass.

### PURPOSE

The purpose of the proposed legislation is to waive sections 15 to 20, inclusive, of the act entitled "An act to provide compensation for employees of the United States suffering injuries while in the performance of their duties, and for other purposes," in favor of Ollie O. Evans, Jr., to permit him to file his claim for disability alleged to have been caused by his employment as a member of the Civilian Conservation Corps, in Jones County, Miss., 1936, and permit his claim to be heard on its merits.

### STATEMENT

The affidavit of the claimant states that while he was a member of the Civilian Conservation Corps he suffered an attack of pneumonia on March 5, 1936, which resulted in a continuous deep-seated bronchial infection. He further states that he has not been able to keep regular employment because of his physical condition since January 1937 and has not been able to perform any work since March 1945.

The committee is of the opinion that the case is one which should be decided and determined by the Department of Labor as to whether or not this claimant comes within the purview of the act. Accordingly it is recommended that the claim be favorably considered.

The Department of Labor report together with other pertinent information is contained in House Report 619, Eighty-second Congress, first session, which is herein included by reference.

